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MOTION ON CONSENT TO SUSPEND PROCEEDINGS AND TO EXTEND DISCOVERY AND TRIAL DATES IF OPPOSITION IS RESUMED

Applicant, by and through counsel, hereby moves for an order suspending the proceedings in this matter for a period of thirty (30) days, until <u>February 29, 2012</u>. Opposer's counsel consented to this motion, which is requested to allow the parties to continue to engage in settlement discussions.

Significant process has been made in amicably resolving this matter. Since the prior suspension and subsequent resumption of proceedings, the parties' counsel have exchanged drafts of a settlement agreement for their respective clients' review, and they have conducted a discussion of settlement terms by telephone on January 13, 2012. Additional time is needed for Applicant to comment on the latest draft settlement agreement provided by Opposer and, thereafter, for such draft agreement to be sent to Opposer's counsel for Opposer's review, consideration and comment. The draft settlement agreement, if accepted by both parties, would resolve the matter without the need to proceed with the opposition.

In the event that the Board denies this motion, Opposer consents to an extension of time for Applicant to file an Answer or otherwise respond to the Notice of Opposition until sixty (60) days after such denial.

If the Board grants this motion, the Board should also reset Applicant's time to answer or otherwise respond to the Notice of Opposition. Additionally, the parties request that six months of discovery be allowed and that the discovery cutoff be reset to six (6) months after the proceedings resume so that the parties will have the full period of discovery in the event that the matter is not able to be resolved. The trial periods and other periods should be reset accordingly.

Dated: January 27, 2012

Respectfully submitted,

I hereby certify that this correspondence is being filed by electronic transmission in the United States Patent and Trademark Office, Trademark Trial and Appeal Board on the date shown below.

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Dated: January 27, 2012

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CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

The undersigned hereby certifies that on January 27, 2012 a true and correct copy of the foregoing Motion to Suspend was sent via First Class Mail, postage prepaid, to Opposer's attorney of record and Correspondent, Robert M. Wasnofski, Jr., Esq. of Dorsey & Whitney LLP, 51 West 52nd Street, New York, NY 10019 and to Gianfranco Mitrone, Esq., at the same address.

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